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Reagan tried to save the endangered MX missile by giving Congress a sales pitch. In a surprise TV news conference, he portrayed the weapon as both essential for arms control and vital for the U.S. military buildup. Meanwhile, Moscow and East Berlin agreed to station more Soviet missiles on East German territory, the U.S.S.R. said.

The Senate Intelligence panel drafted a reminder about its secret-data disclosure ban, an implicit rebuke to Sen. Helms, who outlined secret CIA aid to El Salvador. The U.S. didn't interfere in the Salvadoran presidential election, Reagan said, declining to discuss reports that about \$2 million went to the campaign.

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